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SUBJECT: JAPANESE DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENTS

REF: MANILA OM, MARCH 11, 1977

1. FONOFF MARCH 1 ANNOUNCED APPOINTMENT OF KIYOSHISA MIKANAGI AS AMBASSADOR TO PHILIPPINES AND KUNIYOSHI DATE AS AMBASSADOR TO IRAQ.

2. ACCORDING TO BRIEF BIOSUMMARY IN JAPAN TIMES, MIKANAGI, 56, WAS DIRECTOR OF JAPAN INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AGENCY SINCE JULY 1974. HE JOINED FOREIGN MINISTRY IN 1943 UPON GRADUATION FROM TOKYO UNIVERSITY, AND IN RECENT YEARS HAD SERVED IN FONOFF ECONOMIC BUREAU AND AS COUNSELOR IN JAKARTA. HE IS UNKNOWN TO OFFICERS PRESENTLY AT POST.

3. JAPAN TIMES SAID DATE, 57, IS TOHOKU UNIVERSITY GRAD WHO JOINED FONOFF IN 1945. AFTER RECENT SERVICE AS CONSUL IN EDMONTON AND COUNSELOR IN SEOUL, DATE WAS APPOINTED DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF FONOFF'S CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICAN DEPARTMENT IN JANUARY 1975. EMBOFFS' IMPRESSION, BASED ON INFREQUENT SOCIAL
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4. EMBASSY ASSUMES OIL/B CAN SUPPLY FURTHER INFORMATION.
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